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LITTLE DAMAGE

Has Been Done to Fruit By Cold Weather.

According to the latest reports the fruit is not yet injured by the cold weather, although there is still much danger, especially if the weather should turn cold after the snow and rain. The fruit men have taken every precaution to protect the trees and if possible save the big crop of fruit. Some of the apple trees are now in full bloom and would be easily damaged by a heavy frost or continued cold weather. In a number of the orchards in the country, fires were kept all night for the protection of the fruit.

J. M. Masters, who lives on the J. T. Stanfield farm east of the city, and who is caring for an orchard of forty acres, one of the largest in Jackson county, said this morning that the fruit was yet uninjured by the cold weather. He stated, however, that the greatest danger would be after the snow and cold rain quit falling when the temperature would probably be much lower. The orchard on the farm is under the control of the experimental station of Purdue University, and the fruit is being protected under their direction. Several men were employed during the night building fires under the trees to prevent damage from probable frost.

Mr. Masters said this morning that there was no frost Monday night, and that an examination of the apple trees showed that they were not injured. The Roman Beauty and several other varieties are in full bloom and as they are most liable to damage, especial attention was given to them. The fruit on the Grimes Golden, Ben Davis, and a few other kinds has been formed and it is believed that these could stand a heavy frost.

Other orchard men in the country protected their trees Monday night with fires and all report that no damage has yet been done.

Gardeners near the city were also careful to protect growing vegetables. It is said that in some places the tomatoes have been killed, although, it is believed, the damage is not general. Vegetables such as corn, beans and peas have not been hurt by the snow. Especial care was taken to protect strawberry plants from the frost and no damage to those have been reported.

An unusual interest is taken in the fruit this year, as the report indicates that there will be an abundance of all kinds. The unfavorable weather came at a critical time, as some of the trees are in full bloom, when the most serious damage would be done. The fruit men, however, are taking extraordinary precautions to protect the trees, and it is generally believed that no serious damage will result, unless there is a decided drop in the temperature.

FORMAL OPENING POSTPONED

Social Event Thursday Night at Country Club will not be Held.

The social committee of the Country Club has announced that the formal opening which was to have been held Thursday evening, has been postponed indefinitely on account of the unfavorable weather. This was decided upon last night at a meeting of the committee.

The committee which has charge of the opening are making preparations for a very elaborate social event and as it is to be held in the pavilion it was thought advisable to postpone it until a later date. The exact date of the opening will be announced by the committee later.

House Cleaning

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FIELD EXAMINERS TO REPORT.

Attorney-General Will Collect Shortages From Township Trustees.

W. A. Dehorty, chief of the state board of accounts expects to file with Governor Marshall this week copies of various reports turned in by field examiners from townships where present and former trustees have been found chargeable with moneys held to be due the township. The law makes it the duty of examiners to file such reports with the Governor, whose duty it is to place reports showing shortages in the hands of the attorney-general for collection. Charges aggregating approximately \$100,000 have been reported thus far by the state board.

In a number of instances, where the township officials were shown the grounds on which charges against them were based, they made good the shortage at once. In other instances, the time which has elapsed since the officials went out of office is believed to prevent collection in the courts. In some instances the township books were found in such a muddle that it will be up to the state to bring suit for the amounts charged, with the burden of proof of credits on the official held to be short. In one case, that of former Trustee D. E. Hill, of Flatrock township, Bartholomew county, the examiners charged the official with the full amount received by him from all sources during his term, except the sum turned over by him to his successor.

The largest sum yet paid back was by former Treasurer Motsenbaecker, of Muncie, who was charged with \$10,000 and interest, amounting approximately to \$11,000.

HAYS CASE SET FOR TRIAL

Suit Involving Title of Land to be Heard in Bartholomew Circuit Court.

The case of John Thomas Hays, et al., vs James Otis Hays, et al., has been set for trial in the Bartholomew Circuit Court for Monday, April 23. This case was originally filed in this county and venued to the Scott circuit court. When it was called for trial there it was sent to the Bartholomew circuit court upon the motion of the attorney for the defendants.

This case involves the title to some real estate formerly owned by the deceased mother of the defendants. The plaintiffs claim an interest in the land under provisions of a will which was left by the plaintiffs' grandfather. They declare the will provided that upon the death of any of the testator's children their interests should be divided equally among the grandchildren. The defendants assert that the land in question was given to their mother, and as her heirs are entitled to the property.

ENDS LIFE WITH SHOTGUN

Well-to-do Scott County Farmer Victim of Despondency.

George W. Hart, 41 years old, a well-to-do farmer living eight miles east of Scottsburg, committed suicide at 5:30 o'clock Monday evening by shooting himself in the head with a shotgun. His face was badly lacerated and some of the shot pierced his brain causing instant death. Hart shot himself while standing in the front yard, and the act was witnessed by his widow and son. Hart is said to have become despondent over ill health and business reverses.

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Star Bread Tags Good for Anything in Store

The Fair Store

POLICEMAN DIES

Indianapolis Patrolman Dies After Fight With Desperadoes.

[Special to the Republican.]

Indianapolis, Ind., April 19.—Joseph Krupp and Albert Groves, patrolmen in this city, were shot this morning by Walter Whitelock and George Douglass, of Pittsburg. The desperadoes fired the shots while they were being searched by the officers. Krupp died about eight o'clock this morning. The wounds received by Graves are not serious and he will recover.

The patrolmen were following orders to examine all suspicious appearing persons. They saw the two men standing on the railroad and accosted them. Groves searched Douglass and Krupp took Whitelock. According to the statement by Groves, the man being searched by Krupp pulled a gun from his pocket and fired two shots at Krupp. Douglass jerked away from Groves at the sound of the pistol shot. Groves pulled his weapon from his pocket and started after Douglass. He received the bullet from the gun of Whitelock and at the same instant turned to see Krupp lying on the ground. He had gone only a short distance and returned to be told by Krupp that he was shot. He assisted Krupp to his feet and they started toward the nearest house, which was that of Henry Taylor, 110 Minkner street.

The police and detectives were immediately put on the case. Several clews were followed before the right parties were taken. The criminals were finally found in an abandoned construction camp near the station of Avon, 12 miles west of Indianapolis. The men had gone to the shack to get some sleep and the officers broke into the building and had the criminals covered with their weapons before they could get on their feet. The men were quickly disarmed and taken to the police station.

The men were put through the "third degree" and finally confessed that they were the guilty parties. Whitelock said he was intoxicated and "never did have any sense when he was drinking." The men said they were on their way to Gary, where they desired to find employment.

CROTHERSVILLE SCHOOLS

Will Close Friday Afternoon for Summer Vacation.

The Crothersville schools will close Friday for the summer vacation. They have been very successful this term, and the patrons are well pleased with the progress made during the year. Prof. W. O. White is superintendent of the schools, and he is assisted by a corps of eight able teachers.

The people of Crothersville have always taken much interest in the school system, and are at all times in favor of any move which would be a betterment for the school work. Much of the success of the school is due to the hearty support given by the patrons.

Mortgage Exemptions.

Now is the time to take advantage of the mortgage exemption law, and if you are desirous of taking out an exemption, get busy, for the time will expire on Saturday, April 30.

HAYMAKERS.

There will be a banquet following the initiation of a class of tramps this evening. All members should be present.

COMMITTEE.

Attention, I. O. O. F.

Work in third degree tonight. All members requested to be present.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

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DRUG STORE LIQUOR SALES.

Soft Drink Dealer Can Not Hide Behind a Registered Pharmacist.

The question of whether the proprietor of a soft drink establishment can employ a registered pharmacist and through such pharmacist sell liquor by the quart under the Beardsley act of 1907 has been put up to the attorney-general, who has replied, in an unofficial opinion, that any proprietor who attempts such a thing will be conducting a "blind tiger," contrary to law.

The attention of the attorney-general was called to the matter by members of the state board of pharmacy, who have decided to do their part in preventing illegal sales of liquor in drug stores.

According to a report from Theodore E. Otto, of Columbus, retiring secretary of the board, the members have been told that the owner of liquors sought to be sold under the Beardsley act must have a pharmacist's license, otherwise the sale of such liquors would be unlawful, since the owner, being the principal, would be responsible for any sales made by an agent, although the agent were a registered pharmacist. At the office of the attorney-general today it was said that the question had not come up in a form to require a formal opinion. However, it was said that any attempt on the part of a soft drink dealer "to put one over" by means of employing a registered pharmacist, unless the dealer himself is engaged in a bona fide drug business, would probably be fraught with results disastrous to the dealer.

COINCIDENCE IN SNOW FALL

Dr. J. S. Shields Reminded of Another April 19th Snow.

The snow which continued to fall heavily for about three hours this morning reminds Dr. J. S. Shields of another April 19 when a heavy snow fell. This year's snow melted as rapidly as it fell except on some roofs while that of 1857 covered the ground most of the day. Dr. Shields says:

"This day reminds me of April 19, 1857. The season had been most inviting to home gardeners. Onions, beans and other vegetables were more advanced than those of today. Early in the morning a snow began falling on dry ground, which before noon had attained a depth of four to six inches. Before sundown no trace of the snow was visible and no damage was done to the growing vegetation. This was our first year of housekeeping and its events are best remembered."

J. S. SHIELDS.

RUNAWAY.

A horse belonging at the Hopewell livery stable caused considerable excitement on W. Second street Sunday afternoon. The driver was on the ground when the horse started. He caught the lines and turned him into the sidewalk. The horse broke loose from the buggy and ran up the sidewalk from near Lynn street to the Kessler Hardware store where it was stopped. Fortunately the sidewalk was cleared all the way and no one was injured although there were some narrow escapes at the street crossings. The buggy was pretty badly wrecked, but the horse was uninjured.

A. W. THOMPSON PROMOTED.

A. W. Thompson, chief engineer of maintenance of way of the B. & O. S.W. has been promoted to chief engineer on the B. & O. system, succeeding A. M. Kinsman, who was recently relieved at his own request and appointed consulting engineer.

ATTENTION REBEKAHS.

The degree staff will meet at the I. O. O. F. hall Wednesday evening, April 20 for drill practice. All members urged to be present.

PLEADS GUILTY

Dispenser of Intoxicating Liquor Given Heavy Fine.

There has been much complain in Seymour recently concerning the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors, and now and then there an arrest has been made.

In a few cases efforts have been made to learn where these intoxicants are under contract for the coming season. Many others are undergoing repairs.

Lorenzo Shutts, who has been in police court frequently of late for intoxication, was called to the matter by members of the state board of pharmacy, who have decided to do their part in preventing illegal sales of liquor in drug stores.

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HOUSE SUPPLY LIMITED

Desirable Residences Hard to Find in Seymour.

The report which has been sent out that there are two or three hundred vacant residences in Seymour is entirely misleading. The fact is, a desirable rental property is hard to find as several persons will testify who have spent several days trying to find a suitable location. Nearly two hundred residences have been built in Seymour during the last two or three summers and quite a number of new houses are under contract for the coming season. Many others are undergoing repairs.

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\$100 REWARD, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dread disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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ADDRESSED HIGH SCHOOL.

Noah Beilhart, the impersonator, who will give an entertainment at the Majestic this evening, addressed the high school this morning. Mr. Beilhart is a pleasing speaker and his talk was greatly enjoyed by the students.

Much interest has been manifested in the program which will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Beilhart this evening. They are very popular upon the platform, and are engaged for some of the leading chautauquas in the country. Tonight they will impersonate "The Hoosier Schoolmaster."

BRANAN LETT, Vernon township.

CHARLES C. CROSS, Salt Creek township.

CHARLES DODDS, Carr township.

CHARLES F. FOIST, Redding township.

CHARLES H. HARRIS, Brownstown township.

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THE SUPERSEDED.

As newer comers crowd the fore
We drop behind.
We who have labored long and sore
Times out of mind
And keen are yet, must not regret
To drop behind.

Yet there are of us some who grieve
To go behind.
Stanch, strenuous souls who scarce
Have
Their fires declined
And know none cares, remembers,
spares
Who go behind.

'Tis not that we have unfeigned
The drop behind.
We feel the new must oust the old
In every kind.
But yet, we think, must we, must we,
Too, drop behind?
—Thomas Hardy.

The Man Who Disappeared

The special Providence that some people designate chance led to Othello breaking her cervical vertebrae on the very day she was destined to sail for Sydney from Perth. Being sick of the place, and being, moreover, able to find an antidote for that sickness, I engaged a passage in the Prometheus and carried my effects aboard in the falling dusk of a summer's night.

On the morning of the third day I found my normal self, and staggered up a stairway that rose up in lumpy projections, and smote my violently all over my anatomy. Once on deck the scene was grand in the extreme. The tramp had run bow on into a screaming southerly bluster, and was making such tremendously heavy weather of it that my heart paused in its beating.

Something of interest was happening on the foredeck. One of the life-boats had been struck by a great sea, and was fast breaking adrift from its lashings. If once the few temporary lashings gave way, the boat would be hurled against the lee bulwarks, and with the velocity she would have gathered would necessarily have effected a clean breach in the iron plating.

Half a dozen men were clustered under the break of the forecastle, and one who appeared to hold a little authority was haranguing them in tones which reached my ears even above the screaming of the gale in the scant rigging. The men refused to go to the rescue of the doomed boat, and while I was meditating on the size of the hole that would be made in the bulwarks, I saw a very plucky deed performed. The big oil-skin-clad figure forward took a coil of rope across his shoulder, watched his chance and ran to the boat. He was caught by a wave and dashed with stunning force against the hatch combings, but he rose again and succeeded in reaching his objective, and then with quick, sailor movements, he passed turn after turn of the stout rope he carried round the boat and her chocks.

The work was done, and he crawled wearily to the ladder where I was standing. His sou'wester had vanished and I recognized the long, square-jawed face with the remarkable black eyes and the tawny hair.

"Hello, Collins!" I said in wonderment.

He looked at me in amazement for a long second, and then his tongue passed over his salt-cracked lips. Then he said: "Go to the deuce! My name's Jones—James Jones, boatswain of this ship."

"Then you're the nearest like Arthur Esmond Collins, second son of Lord Collins, of any man I ever met," I retorted. "In fact, you are Arthur Collins."

"You can go to the mischief with your suspicions!"

We had finished a meal and I was sitting reading, when a sailor knocked at my door, and, on opening:

"Beg pardon, sir, but the bo's'n wants to know if you'd mind going to his room for a bit."

Came to my destination in an alleyway where the smell of engines battened with the odors of greasy cookery. There I found Collins.

"I beg your pardon," he said, "for telling you to go to the deuce. What shall you do?"

"In what way?"

"Well, now you've found me, I suppose you'll go and tell all the old set that you've seen me acting as bo's'n of a beastly old tramp and hiding in the uttermost parts of the earth."

"I shall tell no one," I retorted with equal spleen; "it's no business of mine, after all. But—oh, Collins, Collins, why did you do it?"

"Oh, stow that!" he said impatiently; but I saw the apple in his throat move hurriedly up and down. "What about Standish?"

"He's dead," I said simply. "He made a clean breast of it before he went out, and your name's as clear as ever it was. By Jove! Collins, but it was handsome of you! Why did you do it, old chap?"

He laughed grimly.

"Listen; I'll tell you the whole yarn. But, first of all, how's Ethel Standish?"

"She's looking well enough—or she was when I saw her last. She's married to Wycroft—but you'd know that, of course!"

"Well, I suppose it's only natural. You seem surprised that I didn't know Standish was dead and Ethel married. Since that day—five years ago, isn't it?—I've never looked at a home paper. I cut myself off from the world altogether. But I'll make a clean breast of it since Standish is dead."

"You remember the night of the big

affair at Lady Eglinton's? Well, it was that night that young Standish came to my rooms.

"Collins," he said. "I'm in a deuce of a mess. I got dunned by the Jews for that big money I owed, and I—I wrote Frisinghal's name on a big check. What am I going to do?"

"You could have knocked me down with a breath. The poor youngster was sitting there all broken, his poor white face was stained with tears; and he was the dead image of his sister—Ethel Standish. It was that that I do what I did."

"It's a good lot," I said in answer, and felt the lameness of my remark.

"But now," I went on, as he made no answer, "what do you intend to do? The lad's dead, and your name's as clear as ever it was. You'll cut this business, of course, and come along home with me!"

"No," he said; "no, I think I won't go home. You see, old chap, there are some things that are hard to stand. You say Ethel's married to Wycroft? Well, that in itself's enough to keep me away from home. I loved that girl ever since I met her—you know her, so you can tell what sort of a love she bred in my heart."

"What shall I tell Ethel Wycroft?" I said suddenly, and I saw him wince. "Tell her? Why, nothing. Is she happy?"

"Didn't you hear?" he repeated. "Is she happy?"

Then I told a lie; a good one, without a tremor.

"She's as happy as the day is long," I said.

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It took me a year to get home again. I'd been away eighteen months, and I found changes.

Lying on the table in my room was a letter from Lady Kilbride; it was



"WILL YOU GO FOR A JAUNT?"

an invitation to a crush that very night. So I dressed and went. On the way I got an evening paper and, looking through the shipping news, I saw that the Prometheus had docked in the East India. But I was too excited to notice it much.

The first person I saw at Lady Kilbride's was Ethel Wycroft. She was looking exquisitely beautiful, but her dress seemed strange somehow. Then I saw it was a slight mourning.

"How's Wycroft?" I asked as I shook hands. She started a bit and flushed.

"Didn't you know?" she said. "He died last year."

We were seated in a comfortable corner by this. And then, while I was talking, a sudden flash of light came to me. I remembered the notice in the paper about the Prometheus, and the path opened out with glaring clearness.

"Look here," I said swiftly, "this is pretty sickening. Will you go for a jaunt? It isn't late."

She hesitated a little and looked about her rather shyly. But I got her persuaded at last and we went out. Then, as she started to ask where we were bound, I broke a solemn oath.

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"Then he isn't dead?"

"He was very much alive when I saw him last," I said. Then I started in to tell her of what I'd seen and done during the last eighteen months. It was not until we chattered through the dock gates that she began to get uneasy.

"Where are we going?" she said quickly.

I told her she'd see soon enough. But she drew back when I handed her out alongside the old rusty Prometheus. I got the watchman, and asked him if James Jones were aboard, and he led us to a cabin aft. I looked in. Collins was sitting there—he was second mate—and his face changed when he saw me. Then I reached back and pushed Ethel through the door.

I waited for a moment, just long enough to hear two words spoken in most incredulous tones—"Arthur!" and "Ethel!" And then I shut the door and went to the wharf, for I knew from what I'd heard that everything would be well.—Ernest Winchfield in Cassell's Saturday Journal.

Origin of Colors.

Crimson, scarlet, carmine and the purple lakes came from a small bug, known as the cochineal insect.

Sepia came from the cuttlefish. It was made from a gland in the animal, in which it secreted an inky fluid. The fish emits this fluid when pursued by an enemy, thus making the water opaque.

Black was made from burnt ivory.

Prussian blue was made from the blood of steers.

Various shades of yellow and brown come from Italian clay, principally found in the vicinity of Sienna and Umbria.

Blue black comes from the charcoal of the vine stalk.

India ink is manufactured by the Chinese, according to a secret formula from burnt camphor.

Chinese white is made from zinc.

RELIGIOUS

Bearing the Cross.

The heavier cross, the stronger faith;
The loaded palm strikes deeper root;
When men have pressed the clustered fruit,
And courage grows where dangers come,
Like pearls beneath the salt sea foam.

The heavier cross, the heartier prayer;
The bruised herbs most fragrant are;
If wind and sky were always fair,
The sailor would not watch the star;
And David's psalms had ne'er been sung.

If grief his heart had never wrung.

What One Woman Did.

There died not long ago in Chicago a woman whose gracious and gentle life influenced very many people for good. Her husband was, up to the time of his death, the pastor of a church in Chicago. His many good deeds were well known and widely proclaimed, but the closest friends of the preacher knew how much of his power lay in the insight and sympathy of his wife. Since neither of them is now living, there can be no impropriety in telling of an incident in which her personality supplemented his, and rounded out his large and useful career. The incident has to do with Mr. Moody. At a critical time in his life this woman's insight enabled her to help him into the great work to which the rest of his life was given.

Mr. Moody had moved from Boston to Chicago, and as yet was only an active, vigorous young man, intent on his business and his evangelistic work—then confined to the missions of the city—and a Bible class on Sundays.

His fervent desire to do this work well had driven him to Bible study in his customary energetic fashion. His success as a teacher of boys was known, but few had thought of him as likely to do any more public work than this class or a mission school afforded. Then it was that this woman went to Mr. Moody, and asked him, in her husband's name, to give a series of week-night Bible talks in the church of which the husband was pastor.

Although the invitation came from the minister, it was the minister's wife who convinced the young man that the experiment might safely be made, and she it was who overcame the objections that rose in Mr. Moody's mind.

The young man was deeply moved by the invitation. It was a work unlike anything he had done. He could talk to a class of boys, but this was different. Could he, who had so recently begun his own study of the Bible, lead others? It seemed impossible, but he resolved to try, at least.

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It was about thirty-five years ago," writes Miss Blank, "and I was the happy owner of a flock of poultry of which I was very fond. I was very much worried, however, to think that in my constant visits daily to the hen house I found no egg deposited in the lovely nests which I had prepared for the hens.

"One morning, however, I came down from breakfast and informed my mother and sister that I had dreamed the night before that one of my hens had laid a Bartlett pear. I went out to feed the fowls and again found the nests empty. I then went to spend the day with one of the neighbors, and a little before noon my mother came in, saying, 'I have come to tell you that your dream has proved true.' In her hand she had an egg shaped exactly like a pear. If it had been painted green and stem attached no one could have told the difference.

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BELDON—MARLING.

A pretty and quiet little wedding took place Saturday evening when Miss Carrie A. Beldon of Chestnut Ridge was united in marriage to Mr. Clyde E. Marling, of near Uniontown.

They were accompanied to Indianapolis by the bride's sister, Miss Flo E. Beldon. They went to housekeeping at once in the furnished rooms which the groom had previously engaged.

Miss Freida Aufderheide went out with her father this morning for a trip and will be away about two weeks. They will visit several places east, south and southwest.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

Secretary of State—Otis E. Gulley, Danville.

Auditor of State—John E. Reed, Muncie.

Treasurer of State—Jonce Monahan, Orleans.

Attorney General—Finley P. Mount, Crawfordsville.

State Geologist—W. S. Blatchley, Terre Haute.

State Statistician—J. L. Peetz, Kokomo.

Judge Supreme Court, Second District—Oscar H. Montgomery, Seymour.

Judge Supreme Court, Third District Robert M. Miller, Franklin.

Judge Appellate Court, First District—Cassius C. Hadley, Danville; Ward H. Watson, Charlestown.

Judges of the Appellate Court, Second District—Daniel W. Comstock, Richmond; Joseph M. Rabb, Williamsport; Harry B. Tuthill, Michigan City.

RAILROAD NOTES.

WILL MAKE FAST TIME.

Planning Two-Hours Run Between Indianapolis and Jeffersonville.

F. J. Kron, superintendent of the Louisville division of the Pennsylvania lines, looks for a handsome increase in business over that line through changes in the train service May 1, when it is expected to put on an additional train to make the run from Indianapolis to Jeffersonville in about two hours. A fast returning train will be scheduled. This road, for some years past, has made no attempt at fast time, but will hereafter give that matter more attention, it is stated officially.

Professional Ball Player.

Earl Halterman, of near Milroy, a professional baseball pitcher, was in this city from Saturday till Monday the guest of Ray Bennett, of the "Nickel." Mr. Halterman pitched last year for the Connersville team and this year will pitch for Huntington, W. Va., in the Virginia Valley League. He will report to Cincinnati on Wednesday of this week and the league will open the first week in May after ten days practice. Mr. Malterman attended the ball game here Sunday and after umpiring the first few innings was put on to pitch for the Modern Woodmen. He is a good player and will easily make good in his new position.

Haymakers Will Meet.

This evening the local Haymakers will initiate a class of twelve tramps. They are planning a very enjoyable as well as profitable evening. The Columbus team will be down to give the 101st degree, which is the highest degree in the order. A banquet is planned to follow the ritual work and a good attendance of the members is assured.

Will Clean the Town.

Among the first towns in the State to pass the anti-fly ordinance, recommended by the State Board of Health, is Nashville. This quiet little municipality, nestled among the hills of Brown county, also has taken up the crusade for cleanliness, and today is "clean-up day," the town marshal being in charge of the work.

Police Court.

Arthur Goens, of Elkhart, and Grace Neff, of Columbus, each of whom plead guilty and were assessed a heavy fine in police court here Monday, were taken to Brownstown this morning by Chief Abel to lay out their fines in the county jail.

Mr. O. E. Weller, special agent for the Indiana Life Endowment Company, left yesterday after a short visit with his brother, W. E. Weller, the general agent, who located here some time ago. These brothers are Washington county men and have been very successful in the insurance business, both having risen to good positions in a very short time.

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11:55 p. m....C I....11:38 p. m.

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Lv. Seymour 6:45am 12:20pm 5:30pm

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Lv. Odon 9:07am 2:44pm 7:52pm

Lv. Elvora 9:17am 2:54pm 8:02pm

Lv. Beehunter 9:32am 3:07pm 8:15pm

Lv. Linton 9:47am 3:22pm 8:30pm

Lv. Jasonville 10:11am 3:42pm 8:53pm

Ar Terre Haute 11:00am 4:30pm 9:45pm

No. 28 mixed leaves Westport at 4:40 pm, arrives at Seymour 6:25 pm

South Bound

No. 1 No. 3 No. 5

Lv. Terre Haute 6:00am 11:15am 5:35pm

Lv. Jasonville 6:51am 12:08pm 6:27pm

Lv. Linton 7:12am 12:30pm 6:51pm

Lv. Beehunter 7:23am 12:43pm 7:04pm

Lv. Elvora 7:38am 12:58pm 7:19pm

Lv. Odon 7:48am 1:08pm 7:29pm

Lv. Bedford 9:00am 2:25pm 8:40pm

Ar Seymour 10:07am 3:35pm 9:50pm

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PERSONAL.

J. B. Cross was here from Brownstown this morning.

F. F. Wiley was here from Edinburg this afternoon.

George Kiehm was here from Indianapolis yesterday.

L. H. Wright was here from Jonesville this morning.

C. J. Roach was here from Indianapolis this afternoon.

Dr. G. B. Powell, of Columbus, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Jason Crane, of Chicago, is visiting relatives here.

Mark Storen was here from Scottsburg this morning.

Clyde Benton was here from Brownstown this morning.

Daniel George was here from Crothersville this morning.

W. L. Sampson was here from Madison Monday evening.

H. G. Hayden was here from Rushville Monday evening.

J. M. Allen was here from Sparksville Monday evening.

J. L. Blair made a business trip to North Vernon yesterday.

Clarence Hyatt was here from Washington Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Blish went to Indianapolis this morning.

Miss Elva Pollert, of Medora, is attending school at Winona.

Dr. J. M. Shields was a passenger to North Vernon this morning.

B. F. Bailey, of Cincinnati, spent last evening here with friends.

Rev. J. G. Brengle was here from Scottsburg Monday morning.

August Cordes made a business trip to Brownstown this morning.

Dr. H. R. Luckey returned home from Indianapolis Monday evening.

John W. Conner made a business trip to Brownstown this morning.

O. M. Foster, of Vernon township, left for a business trip to Bluffton Monday night.

M. H. Zaring was among those from near Crothersville who were here this morning.

William Rumbley, of New Driftwood, made a business trip to Brownstown this morning.

Louis Heller, of the Union Hardware Company, made a business trip to Brownstown this morning.

Mrs. Ed Boyles, of Indianapolis Ave., returned home this morning from a visit with relatives west of here.

Dr. M. B. Hyde, district superintendent of the Methodist church, was here from Indianapolis this morning.

Mortan Hall, a prominent farmer of near Azalia, was in the city this morning on business with J. H. Wescott.

Mrs. Florence Patterson returned to her home at Columbus Sunday evening, after a visit with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Arthur Graessle and daughter, Martha, went to Crestnut Ridge this morning to visit her mother, Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mrs. Dora Renfro, of Kurtz, was in the city Monday afternoon and advanced her subscription to the Weekly Republic.

Mrs. Clyde Benton, of Brownstown, returned home this morning from Sellersburg, where she went a few days ago to see a physician.

Rev. James Omelvena left today for French Lick to attend the meeting of the Presbytery and will be out of the city till Thursday, or later.

Mrs. J. W. Summit and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kelsen Bottorff, of Seymour, Dean Bottorff and family, of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Eckleman, of Hiawatha, Kans., and Harry St. John, of Winnboro, La., spent Sunday with M. F. Bottorff and family of Cortland.

J. P. Ennis says: "Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is a great remedy for the stomach. A tonic for the whole system." Thousands of others have sent in similar reports. Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

THEY WANT TO VOTE

Suffragists Present Monster Petition to This End to Congress.

Washington, April 19.—The visiting suffragists invaded the capitol several hundred strong and conveyed to the arms of waiting senators and congressmen a ton or so of petitions advocating suffrage for women.

"It is up to you," was in effect the message that the delegates left with the lawmakers. They did it, however, in a quiet, orderly manner. The suffragists moved upon the capitol in a long line of automobiles with banners afloat and finery aflutter. Each state delegation to the suffragist convention rode in a separate automobile, which bore the name of the state on a long yellow streamer. New York and Indiana sent delegations so large that it required a sight-seeing automobile for each state.

The combined petition contained 400,000 names. This mammoth petition, however, was divided into hundreds of little petitions, each neatly tied with a bit of yellow ribbon, which were distributed among picked members of the house and senate. The petitions were referred to the committee on audit and finance.

The annual convention of the Equal Suffrage Society of Indiana will be held in Indianapolis the latter part of next month.

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Columbus Will Entertain Members of Fourth District Tomorrow.

A number of club women from this city will attend the third annual convention of the Fourth Congressional District which will be held at Columbus Wednesday afternoon and evening.

The visitors will be entertained by the Magazine and Culture Clubs, the only federated clubs there. Miss Ida Florence Fitch, chairman of the Review Club, of Lawrenceburg, chairman of the district, will preside. The address of welcome will be made by Mrs. J. F. Wright, of this place. An address will be made by Mrs. Grace Julian Clarke, of Indianapolis, president of the State Federation.

of Women's Clubs, and also by Mrs. Virginia C. Meredith, of Cambridge City, vice president of the state federation, who will speak on "The Child's Life" at the afternoon session. The principal feature of the night session will be an address on "Needs for Child Labor Regulation" by E. N. Cooper, of Cincinnati, O., of the national child labor commission.

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Los Angeles Hotel Will Wash All Germs Out of Atmosphere.

Persons who are under the impression that the Los Angeles atmosphere is the ne plus ultra of ethereal purity will have the surprise of their lives when they hear the startling intelligence that there is still room for improvement, the Examiner of that city says.

Additional wonderment, speechless in its character, will be occasioned by the announcement that this great health-giving air of the Pacific Riviera, or any other air, may be washed, brushed up, deodorized, purified, dried, chilled or heated according to individual discretion, and served in any first-class hotel room with no more difficulty than the mere touching of an electric button.

Accordingly, a number of rooms in the new Alexandria will be provided with a clean-air attachment that will permit the heretical closing of any apartment and, at the same time, furnish dust-free, smokeless and noiseless atmosphere at any desired degree. To thoroughly ventilate a room every four minutes without opening either transom or window—that is what the Alexandria proposes to do.

In the future Clerk Sibbald will greet the guests, perhaps, as follows: "Yourself and wife? Yes, sir, delighted to have you. What temperature, please?"

"Sir?" "I mean what degree of temperature do you desire in your room?"

Upon the surprised answer of the guest, for instance, that he wishes a nice 68-degree atmosphere, the clerk will simply move an indicator under the room number and before the guests reach the elevator their rooms will have the desired climatic conditions. It will be explained to them that the purest air is that which is cleaned by chemical processes, made dustless and germless and scientifically conveyed to the hotel rooms through large pipes that have their origin on the roof.

In this same manner guests will be provided with cool breezes of laundered atmosphere during the hot summer months.

"We will have the best ventilated hotel in the world," said Mr. Whitmore, "and propose to equip a number of rooms with this new device of furnishing pure air at any degree of heat or cold, according to individual desires."

ODD ELECTION SIGNS.

The Signs Are in Washington, the Elections Elsewhere.

"Of course we don't have any elections of our own," said a man from Washington, "but we have election intimations, if I may call them that, which can't be duplicated anywhere else in the country."

"You see, when we Washingtonians want to vote we've got to do it somewhere else, and as most of us have a lingering fondness for the franchise we are pretty likely to hang on to a residence somewhere outside the District."

"We especially like to do it because it makes us feel as if we had some sort of weapon to flourish before the observing eyes of the politicians who may have something to say about our hold on our jobs, and when the time comes to go home to vote we visibly swell with importance."

"Naturally a national election is the one that catches us all at once, and it is then that the intimations I spoke of do most abound. The papers are full of advertisements of loans for election expenses. Department clerks can be accommodated with sums covering their railway fare, new clothes for the trip and a substantial margin over and above necessary items. The interest is a bit high, but a clerk who is pining to go back home to splurge a bit is willing to mortgage his resources for the pleasure."

"These offers of loans fill columns of the daily papers. Alongside of them are other advertisements, all turning on the one theme, the election. 'Buy yourself a new suit to go home and vote in!' The grammar is a bit off, but the prices are asserted to be all right."

"In the shop windows there are dozens of election placards: 'Just the hat to wear when you go home to vote,' 'Specials in suit cases for the election,' 'Take a souvenir hat pin to your best girl when you go home to vote,' 'Swell suit for the election, only \$1 a week,' and in a shoe store window, 'Tramp, tramp, tramp, the boys are marching—home to vote; wear ——'s shoes and you won't get sore feet!'

"The railroads offer special rates to voters, and so it goes. You won't find anything like it in any other town"—New York Sun.

NEED NOT CHANGE NAME.

Married Women in Kansas Enjoy More Freedom than Elsewhere.

According to a decision of Attorney-General Frederick S. Jackson, of Kansas, the laws of that State do not require a woman to change her name on marrying.

A young woman was commissioned a notary public and afterward decided to get married. She still wanted to retain her notary work and asked the Attorney General if it would be necessary to get a new commission and seal after the marriage. The Attorney General replied that this was not necessary.

sary and that she could continue to use her old name and pay no attention to that of her husband. Also, if she desired, she could use her maiden surname for all business transactions and use the name of her husband socially.

Just as a little extra advice, the Attorney General told the young woman that if her powers of persuasion were sufficient she might prevail upon her soon-to-be spouse that her name was the best and that he ought to drop his own and take up her name in its stead.

"There is nothing to prevent this," said the Attorney General, according to the Baltimore Sun. "The taking of the name of the husband by the wife is wholly a matter of custom and not of law. The husband is the head of the family, and custom gives him the right to fix the name for the family. If yourself and your husband are not satisfied with either of your surnames, there is nothing except the criticisms of the public to prevent your picking out some other name in the dictionary of proper names and take it for your own. When you are married, your husband may elect to change his name to yours or he may decide on something else. That becomes the name of the family and you cannot change it. But there is no law which compels you to accept it. You may retain your own surname and you and your husband may live under different names."

While all these things are possible under the Kansas law, it is also possible for a man to change his name at will; still the Attorney General does not like the idea of a woman's retaining her maiden name when she is married. In his letter to the woman he says that she would not violate any law if she continued to act as a notary public and use her maiden name after her marriage; still he believes that she ought to give up the business and attend strictly to her household duties.

No Market for Umbrellas.
Former Secretary of State S. M. Taylor, of Urbana, now United States consul to Peru at Callao, is home on the first leave of absence from his post since he was assigned to Callao three years ago.

"We like life in Peru," said Mr. Taylor. "While my office is in Callao, I live in Lima. Callao is the seaport, a place of about 35,000 population, while Lima, seven miles distant, has a population of 150,000. We are 11 degrees south of the equator, so that this is their summer, but it is never very hot there. They get the sea breeze and it rarely gets over 85 degrees Fahrenheit, while the lowest temperature is about 65. Of course, frost never occurs there."

The climate is one of perpetual sunshine. It never rains. All agricultural operations must be carried on by means of irrigation. A Peruvian girl came up to Panama with me, and, though she was almost a woman, she had never seen rain. When we encountered a thunderstorm in Panama she was badly frightened. It was the first thunder I had heard for three years."

A Bad Speculation.
There are penitents and penitents. Some are sorry that they did wrong; others regret the unpleasant consequences of their evil deed. Governor Barbour of Virginia once defended a man charged with stealing a pair of shoes. The man was convicted.

One day, years after, the Governor was standing conversing with several lawyers in front of the court-house, when a man approached and said he wished to speak with him. They walked off together, and the man asked:

"Squire, do you remember I once hired you to defend me?"

"Yes."

"Well, squire, the taking of them shoes was the worst job I ever did. I didn't keep 'em a week. They put me in jail; I gave you the only horse I had to defend me; my crop was lost 'cause I couldn't see to it; and then, squire, they gave me thirty-nine lashes at last. I tell you, squire, it was a bad speculation."

Extravagance.

"It takes a maid to be extravagant," said the woman of slender means. "My girl just exhibited to me with much pride something she had bought to send girl friend for her birthday. It was a sublimated card, with a dove life size, made of paper that fluffed out when you pulled a string, all gay colors and cut out effects something like the old-fashioned valentines. She paid 50 cents for the thing and it probably will get smashed in the mails."

Just think of the handkerchiefs, gloves, stockings, hat pins, collars and all manner of pretty useful things you can get for 50 cents. But the other girl probably will be delighted, so why should I worry?"

Tommy Points a Moral.
Tommy—Papa, will you please mend my hobby-horse?

Papa—Yes, Tommy, when I get time. And I'll mend the dining room sofa, and the arm chair, and the clothes screen, and—

Tommy—Gee! Won't you be busy, papa, when you get time?—Lippincott's.

Particular.

"He's a very particular man."

"Yes. If the doctor told him that he was going to die he would want to telephone ahead for a good room"—New York Press.

American Conservation.
And still with reckless wanton waste
Our last resources go
Just as with rash, high-handed greed
We laid the buffa-low!
—Kansas City Times.

It's often what the wife wants that the husband says he can't afford.

GOOD SHORT STORIES

Said a nervous lady to an Austin lady, at whose house she was making a call: "Are you not afraid that some of your children will fall into that cistern in your yard?" "Oh, no," was the complacent reply; "anyhow, that's not the cistern we get our drinking water from."

Mark Twain, in the course of a speech, talked of his pet aversion, "Christian Science," he said, "reminds me of the apple cure for drunkenness. In Hannibal, in my boyhood, the apple cure was highly esteemed. I remember once hearing the Hannibal town drunkard expatiating on the apple cure. 'You believe in it, then, do you, Hank?' a listener asked. 'Believe in it?' How can I help believin' in it?" the drunkard said, excitedly. "Ain't it cured me eight times?"

The consul in London of a continental kingdom was informed by his government that one of his countrymen, supposed to be living in Great Britain, had been left a million of money. After advertising without result he applied to the police, and a smart young detective was set to work. When a few weeks had gone by his chief asked him how he was going on. "I've found the lady, sir." "Good! Where is she?" "At my place, I got married to her yesterday!"

One day a sympathetic old German gentleman was leisurely strolling past one of the city fire houses, when he was moved by tears of the captain. Stopping to offer consolation, he said: "Say, for what you grief?" "Oh," replied the captain, with a fresh gush of tears, "my poor father is dead. If he had lived just one more day he would have been chief of the whole fire department, just think!" "Do not so bad feel," said the friendly old German, patting the fellow on the shoulder, "maybe he is a fire chief now."

During the French revolution a thief and a marquis jolted in a tumbril side by side through the wild streets of Paris, on the way to the guillotine, while a venerable priest tried to console their terrible last ride with moral reflections. "A has la noblesse! Down with the aristocrats!" shouted the red-capped mob. Thereupon the thief rose in the cart and cried: "My friends, you deceive yourself. I am not an aristocrat. I am a thief." The priest plucked him by the sleeve, saying reproachfully: "Sit down. This is no time for vanity!"

On an occasion when Mr. Gladstone was announced to speak in Manchester, the hall was packed and the air was stifling. For some reason it was impossible to open the windows, which were very high, and one had to be broken. It was feared that the noise would startle the audience, and the mayor stepped forward to explain what was proposed. The audience, however, had not assembled to listen to the mayor and overwhelmed him with cries of "Gladstone," "Gladstone!" At last the misconceived and infuriated official restored silence by shouting at the top of his lungs: "I'm not going to make a speech, I've got something to say!"

DISHONESTY OF SHOPPERS.

Little Tricks Sometimes Played on the Helpless Merchant.

Just before the curtain rose in one of the New York theaters the other night a keen-faced man strolled in and took an orchestra chair near a box occupied by a certain fashionable woman and her party, the Tribune of that city says. If any individual had taken pains to follow the keen-faced man's movements during the preceding hour that individual might have perceived him trailing the fashionable woman from her home. From his place in the theater he seemed much interested in her gown, which was a beautiful one, with Paris written all over it. Quite unobtrusively he took several good looks at it through his opera glasses. Presently he strolled up to the box. The woman in the Paris gown was going to be haughty at this uninvited appearance of a man she didn't know, but he gave her no chance.

"Madam," he said, "the firm of H— is delighted that you are so well pleased with the gown sent you on approval that you have decided to keep it."

Now, as a matter of fact, he knew, and she knew that he knew, that she had no intention of keeping that gown. She was one of those customers, a class more numerous than people not in business imagine, who are constantly ordering things from the shops on "approval" and returning them in a day or two with the freshness gone; no definite tears or rips, but an indefinite something showing to the expert that that article has been worn.

It was a critical situation for the fashionable woman, especially as her companions in the box might be moved to turn around and lend an ear to the conversation. But she never turned a hair.

"You may think you've seen big fish," he said, "but unless you've come across a whale somewhere, you haven't."

"How long was it, Jeff?" somebody asked him.

"It was mighty close to ninety feet, and about fifteen feet thick. It was the biggest thing I ever saw out of the water that swims in the water."

"Well," said the village doctor, "you didn't expect to find it a smelt, did you?"

"No," he answered, hesitatingly, "but it did, just a little."

Ancient Sacrifices.

Many Roman and Greek epicures were very fond of dog flesh. Before Christianity was established among the Danes on every ninth year ninety-nine dogs were sacrificed. In Sweden each ninth day ninety-nine dogs were destroyed. But later on dogs were not thought good enough, and every ninth year ninety-nine human beings were immolated, the sons of the reigning tyrant among the rest, in order that the life of the monarch might be prolonged.

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Not many firms, perhaps, would do what this firm did, and it took the step only after long provocation. The good will of wealthy customers, even the tricky ones, is important. But there is not a house of any size dealing with woman's raiment that doesn't write under the deprivations of the women who must have new gowns every time they go out, and aren't able or aren't willing to pay for the privilege.

If you want to make a young man mad, call him "My boy."

puzzling sex," said a merchant, recently, "is that while women in business—cashiers, buyers for merchants, etc.—are almost invariably honest, women out of business are liable to have yawning gulfs where the sense of honesty resides. They wouldn't steal—oh, no! But the innumerable ways in which they evade the simple law of straightforwardness would make an oriental feel like a tyro. Not all resort to the crude method of wearing gowns sent home an approval. The subtler ones have them copied. The dressmaker will be in the house, and the minute the gown arrives she falls upon it, tries it on her patron, studies it, measures the lines, and in a few hours, with the help, perhaps, of a seamstress or two, is well on the way of turning out an exact copy of the Paris gown. This has been done with the messenger waiting in the house, in cases where he refused to leave the package. Then the gown is returned—unharmed, it is true, but the firm is robbed all the same; for that gown was probably of exclusive design, and the woman who buys it won't be exactly pleased if she chances to encounter one just like it the first time she wears it."

"This sort of thing is done a good deal abroad, and by women of greater wealth and standing that those who descend to it in America. Only in one respect is the Parisian dressmaker protect herself against these female pirates. He can adorn the splendid garments he sends out with original trimmings which can't be duplicated. Otherwise he is helpless against the woman with the sliding sense of honesty."

WHEN IT MARKS ZERO.

The Chief Peculiarity of the Fahrenheit Thermometer.

The chief peculiarity of the Fahrenheit thermometer is that when it marks zero there are at that moment just 32 degrees of frost in the air, which is a fair start for a cold day. But when 50 degrees of frost are added, by the drop of the mercury this much below Fahrenheit's arbitrary zero mark, as is frequently the case in various parts of our country, what folks are really getting is 82 degrees of frost.

As a matter of fact, the point where things begin to freeze or to thaw is the natural dividing line, and not Fahrenheit's zero mark, which does not enter into consideration until things have been frozen up to the extent of 32 degrees. In other words, when one is told how cold it is, he should really be informed as to the amount of all the frost and not merely a part thereof, just as when things began to warm up, one would like to know just how warm it is from the Fahrenheit thermometer, be obliged to subtract 32 degrees of non-existent frost, in July say, in order to learn the actual truth.

It follows, therefore, that the truly sensible thermometers are those known as the Centigrade and the Reaumur. Both take the points at which water freezes and water boils as points fixed by nature. The space between these two points is divided on the Centigrade thermometer into 100 degrees, and on the Reaumur into 80 degrees. The division into 100 degrees is probably better than that into 80 degrees, but only for the reason that so many things in this world are divided by tens and hundreds that most of us are more or less accustomed to the decimal system.

Both the Centigrade and Reaumur thermometers are honest and accurate in making zero just at that point on the tube where there is actually "nothing doing," as between heat and cold—where, if any change is made, it must be made either in the direction of heat or of frost.

In Fair Preservation.

One winter some years ago, a large whale was killed near one of the Atlantic seaports. Its carcass was taken ashore, loaded on two flat cars, and transported far inland, to cities where a whale was a curiosity that people would pay to see. It was necessary, of course, that the exhibitions should be given in unheated halls, and as it was a cold winter, the whale kept in a fairly good state of preservation for a considerable number of weeks before it became imperative to close the amusement season, so far as that particular cetacean was concerned. While it was on exhibition in Chicago a merchant from a little town in Southern Illinois, who happened to be in the city on business, went to see it. When he returned home he could talk of nothing else.

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TOPIS & TIMES

In London, in 1907, 1,449 bachelors married widows.

The Turkish government has awakened to the necessity of irrigation and railroads.

In New York state, during last season, 11,367 acres of forest lands burned and the loss was only \$25,101, as against 177,000 acres burned in 1908 and a loss of \$644,000.

At Lisbon Byron performed a more perilous, though less celebrated, feat than swimming the Hellespont. That was when he swam across the Tagus from Old Lisbon to Belém castle.

Miss Elizabeth Moore, a Vassar graduate, has entered the agricultural department of the University of Missouri at Columbia and has announced her intention of becoming an expert farmer. She is a member of several clubs in St. Louis.

A Lindsborg boy had been clothed with his father's castoff wardrobe and was one day found crying behind the barn. "Pa's gone and shaved his face clean," he explained, "and I suppose I'll have to wear them red whiskers now!"—Wichita (Kan.) Star.

A German machine manufacturer has invented a new means of power transmission by the use of steel wire. It is asserted that the system is equal in every way to leather belts, steel bands and chains and is much cheaper. The wires are thin and endless.

Since introducing the "pay within" cars in Philadelphia the number of accidents to persons has decreased 74 per cent. This is attributed to the arrangement of the closed doors and steps, making it possible for passengers to get on or off when the cars are moving.

The two savings bank departments with insurance features for working-men, established in Brockton and Whitman, Mass., in accordance with the law passed in that State a year ago, have paid a dividend of 8 1/2 per cent on the first year's premiums or investments.

American show window lighting is being introduced in London. It is customary in the English capital for shopkeepers to barricade every window with heavy iron shutters just as the day's business is over. This is a relic of those ancient days when it was not safe to leave the shop unprotected, but the American plan of window displays and well-lighted store fronts is being successfully introduced.

Miss Pearl A. Billings is said to be the youngest hotel woman in Chicago, perhaps in this country. Several years ago she inherited from a cousin the lease, furnishings and good will of the Newberry hotel. By good management Miss Billings has made it a success without a bar, a thing which the hotel men of Chicago told her would be impossible. Of her employees less than one dozen are men. Miss Nell Billings, her cousin, is the manager and there are women bookkeepers and clerks.

A library browsing room has just been opened at Smith college. It was fitted up as a memorial to Edith Charters Gallagher by her father. In the new library building and near the browsing room there is a shelf devoted to publications by Smith graduates. The shelf now contains books by Josephine Daskam Bacon, Zephine Humphrey, Grace Lathrop Collin, Caroline M. Fuller, Fannie P. Hardy, Edith Elmer, Ana Chapin Ray, Maude Barrows Duton, Mary Calkins, Alice P. Norton and Florence Merriam Bailey.

An extraordinary accident occurred recently to the train traveling from Victoria Falls to Buluwayo. At a point about twelve miles north of Melinde a number of wild elephants crossed the line and one huge brute was knocked down and severely injured. The engine was derailed and seemed to be in as bad a plight as the elephant. A passenger fortunately had his big game rifle with him and was able to put the animal out of misery. The elephant was ten feet six inches in height from shoulder to ground, and twenty feet long from tip of trunk to tail. His fine tusks measured twelve inches in diameter.

BACK TO THE FARM.

Disappointment of Future Farmers Are Looked for in the Cities.

"Back to the land" is the cry of the economists. But who is going back? Arrived at the farm, what is the unfeudal farmerling going to do with the land? Ah-h, yes, yes. We hadn't thought of that unimportant matter of detail. First, who is going back? Not the farmer's sons who have come up to the city. They feel that they have emancipated themselves from a condition of hard labor, long hours, exposure to the elements, loneliness and social privation. Not the sons of the men who came up from the farm. They have heard invidious comparisons of country and city life from one who knows, and these have created an unutterable yearnings for the free and independent life of the farm. And the man who has made a failure of city life; who has been crowded to the wall, and out of a job by more energetic, more vigorous and self-reliant men. What in the name of all that is ridiculous would such a one do with broad acres?

Farming was once regarded as a business that should be done on a big scale after the fashion of Dalrymple, who was merely commanding general and head financier with an army of employees. That is hardly possible now, says the Detroit News, because the

army is no longer to be mustered without forcible conscription. The farmer of the future must be independent of help. He must be a soil expert in some degree. He must know wherein his land is rich and wherein it is deficient and then bring it up to a high standard and keep it there while cropping it intensively every year. He must be a stock expert, forester, horticulturist and several other things. The man who has difficulty in getting to his work in the city at 7 o'clock sun time by riding on a street car would make a bad fist of getting up at 4 o'clock to catch horses in the back lot, to milk several cows and feed other live stock before breakfast. The man who has been accustomed to strolling down the avenue after his day's work, meeting boon companions, taking in the theater or some other place of amusement, having a stroll in the parks, or a ride on the water, will hardly be content to seek his couch at 8, thus cutting out many things that have become a part of his life and necessary to his happiness.

If we look for reinforcements to the farm who will become bread producers for the growing multitude of bread winners and bread eaters we shall be disappointed in the city. Every man will say: "Let George do it." But where is George? Farming is a business for experts. We are making no end of experts in our agricultural colleges and university annexes, but when we have them all finished, away they go to any sort of life rather than the farm. The man who will take to the farm must evidently be imported from the best agricultural districts of Europe and given a big inducement. We are taking in thousands of immigrants every year who would properly class as "undesirable citizens."

But some people say land is hard to get now. N. O. Nelson said in the World's Work not long ago: "Opportunities for getting land are much better now than when I was a child. Within an hour of New York and of every other city in this country farms can be bought on easy terms for little more than the cost of the improvements, sometimes less; others can be rented at about the amount of money which would pay interest on the improvements, maintenance and taxes, or farms can be rented with implements and teams furnished."

In the day of the homestead farms men had to take wild land in the wilderness, spend the best years of their lives in bringing it to cultivation and suffer from malarial fever and other exhausting diseases.

They were glad when a railroad came within twenty miles or more. We may as well realize at once that the mere cry: "Back to the land!" is not going to accomplish much. People who are willing to go to the farm because they are starved out of the city will probably be starved back to the city again. We need real farmers and there is no better time to seek them out in lands which offer less opportunity than ours and make an inducement for them to come.

EMPIRE FESTIVAL IN LONDON.

Representatives from All the British Dominions Will Participate.

The whole of the Crystal palace, together with its 200 acres of grounds, have been taken for the summer months of next year for a great empire festival, to be held under the auspices of the viceroys, governors and high commissioners of the English overseas dominions.

The palace itself, says a Pittsburgh Gazette-Times correspondent, will be given over to a series of exhibitions of interest representing each country.

Cinematograph films and various other devices are being specially prepared, which shall give an idea of the industries as well as of the scenery of the country—harvesting operations and pulpwood making, among other industries in Canada; sheep shearing, ranching, etc., in Australia; mining in Africa, and so on. These courts, of the empire of India, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Newfoundland and South Africa, will be arranged in accordance with the practical advice of the high commissioners and agents general, under the presidency of Lord Strathcona.

Loan collections of portraits of great men connected with the growth of the empire, of paintings, engravings, etc., connected with different countries, prints and engravings of old England and old London, collections of old costumes and armor, will be arranged in conjunction with the council by a committee with the advice of Viscount Dillon.

In the ground is to be built a great amphitheater on ancient Greek lines,

where will be presented in a cycle of performances "The Pageant of London" and the "Heart of the Empire" by some 15,000 amateur performers.

The historical and antiquarian detail has been chosen and supplied by a committee of well-known London historians, under the chairmanship of Laurence Gomme.

Substitution.

Old Mother Hubbard
She went to the cupboard,
As always had been her habit.
"I can't afford beef."

She murmured with grief;
So she made her poor dog a Welsh rabbit.

—Chicago Tribune.

Living in Hope.

She just despised her aged spouse,
But he suffered and endured,
Because he deeded her the house
And had his life insured.

—Birmingham Age-Herald.

When a man's business becomes dull, as a result of his own shiftlessness, he is pretty apt to lay it on the town.

If you want a thing well done, hire some one to do it who knows how.



AN EASTER MYSTERY.



Here's a tiny, cozy house,
White and tight from top to toe;
Not a sign of fence it has,
Not a bush or tree to hide it;
Not a window, not a door,
Just the roof and walls and floor;
Not a crack to come and go,
And no way to peep inside it.

Later comes a knocking sound,
Funny, busy "tap-a-tap."
Why, the wall is giving way,
Breaking in the very middle!

I declare, beyond a doubt,
Here is some one stepping out!

Now put on your thinking-cap
And find the answer to my riddle.
—Nannie B. Turner.

AN EASTER FLOWER WHICH FLEW AWAY.

The Russell children were perched on the fence, looking down the road by which Sister Grace would come from the station.

They used to watch there for mother, but Helen realized that mother would never again come round the turn by the big elm, and wave her handkerchief to the children on the fence, for in September the busy, loving mother had died.

There had been a few miserable days when every one walked softly because mother was sick; and then they had all marched in a sad little procession down through the old orchard, with its mellowing apples and fading leaves, to a quiet little lot full of pine trees. Grandfather and grandmother were buried there, and there they left their mother, and went back to the lonely house.

Then it was that Sister Grace began

to be mother to them all, comforting them

one by one—15-year-old Helen, and Jack,

who was 12, and Polly and Paul, the

twins, and little Elizabeth, just 6, whom

she rocked to sleep in her arms and left

to dream of "mamma, with lovely, shin-

ing wings."

On the day this story begins, Grace had

been gone all day, getting their winter

things in the city, and they were lonely.

But at last the carriage came swiftly up

the dusty road and stopped, and each one

received an armful of bundles to carry

to the house.

Elizabeth's load was a pasteboard box,

and Grace opened this and gave her a bag

of candy.

"And here is an Easter lily for you,

Helen," she said, "and a daffodil for Jack,

and hyacinths for the twins. I thought

you'd like to take care of them, and at

Easter we can put them on mother's grave."

Elizabeth laid down her candy and be-

gan to cry.

"What's the matter, Beth?" Grace asked.

"I want to do something for my moth-

er and you did not bring me anything,"

she said, her lips trembling.

"Why, you poor little girlie!" Grace said.

"I thought you were too little."

"Here, Bethie, you can have mine,"

Jack said; but Elizabeth shook her head.

"No, no!" she said. "I don't want

yours. I want one of my very own!"

"Never mind, dear," Grace said. "I'll

send for one for you."

But suddenly Elizabeth sat up and

dried her eyes, smiling mysteriously. "No, you mustn't, Grace," she said. "I'll get one for my own self to-morrow morning, I know where." And she nodded her head wisely, but not another word would she say.

The children planted their bulbs and set them away in the cellar. Next morning, when the others had gone to school, Elizabeth came in, holding something triumphantly in a grimy hand.

"I found it!" she cried, running up to Grace. "Now I'll have a flower for mamma!"

Grace looked at it. It was a very large brown chrysanthemum, and it did look like a bulb. She opened her lips to tell Elizabeth her mistake, and then she changed her mind.

She found a little pot, and some soft, light earth, and putting the chrysanthemum in, sprinkled a little earth lightly over it, and set it away. They had it for a secret and told no one.

One by one the pots were brought up from the cellar and set in the sunny window.

All had tiny green points pushing up, excepting Elizabeth's; but Grace said, "Just wait, sister, and yours will come up."

Elizabeth watched it every day, sprinkled it, and waited anxiously for the first leaf to appear. The other plants grew and budded, and Elizabeth began to be discouraged; but Grace, who noticed that the earth was cracking in the little pot, told her that hers might bloom for Easter yet. But the day came, and the window was aglow with bloom, and still no sign of life in the little pot.

Elizabeth was disappointed, but Grace promised her a wreath to carry, and she was comforted. The orchard was gay with wild flowers and violets, and as they walked slowly through the bright sunshine with their Easter flowers, Elizabeth gathered wild flowers, and Grace wove them into a delicate chain for her, so that she, too, had something to lay on the green mound under the pines.

When they came back to the house, Grace went to the window where the one little pot stood.

"Beth! Beth! Come here!" she cried, and Beth ran. Then she stood looking in

wonder at something which had pushed away the earth in the pot and was coming out.

"What is it?" she whispered.

"Wait and see," said Grace, taking her trembling little hand.

The other children slipped up behind, and watched as something white and green and yellow came in sight.

Then Jack smiled and looked at Helen. "A butterfly! Is that what she's been watching and watering all this time?"

Elizabeth never had seen such a queer butterfly—such a big body and such little wings. It began slowly opening and shutting its crumpled wings, and oh, wonder! as they moved they grew larger and smoother and brighter, until it was larger than any butterfly Elizabeth had ever seen before. It balanced lightly on the edge of the pot, as if ready to fly away.

"Grace," said Elizabeth, softly, "please open the window. It wants to fly away up to heaven, like mamma."

Then as the sweet spring air came in, she bent over and kissed the butterfly softly. "Take it to mamma," she whispered, and as if in obedience, the butterfly rose in the air, and fluttered back, once, twice, and the third time it floated away, up, up, until it was lost in the bright sunshine.

When it was out of sight, Elizabeth turned to Grace with a little sigh.

"Do you think it can find mamma?" she asked, wistfully.

"I think mamma was watching for it," Grace answered.

And the children all declared that Elizabeth's Easter flower was the loveliest of all.—Yester's Companion.

EASTER USED TO LAST EIGHT DAYS.

In the ancient church the celebration of Easter lasted eight days, but after the eleventh century the time was limited to three days, and soon again reduced to two days. It was formerly the favorite time for performing the rite of baptism. The courts of justice were closed, and alms distributed to the poor and needy, who were even feasted in the churches. Slaves were set free, and as the fasting of Lent was over the people gave themselves up to every enjoyment.

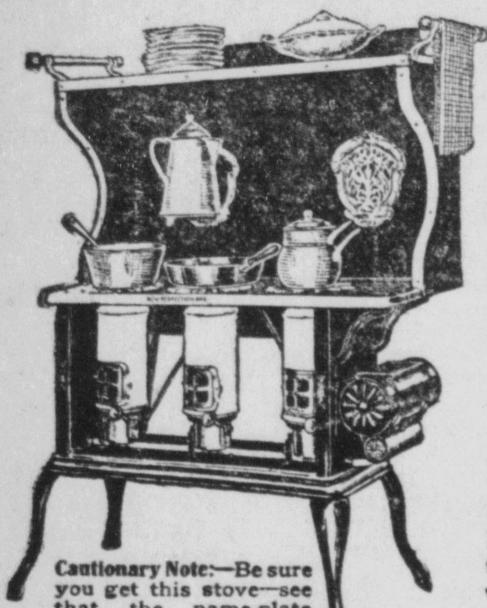
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NEWSY PARAGRAFS.

Rev. Booch, of Illinois, preached at the German St. Paul church here Sunday morning and evening.

The Brownstown-Seymour automobile and considerable trouble between the two places today on account of the condition of the roads. In making the trip here this afternoon the car was stopped on the way while the clutch was adjusted. In spite of the delays, however, the trip was made in about an hour.

Joseph Mayfield, of near Little York, who purchased a farm near Ardian, Texas, several months ago, left for that place this morning over the B. & O. S.W. He will possibly remain there a few months, if not all summer, but will leave his family here for the present. J. H. Wescott left here today at the same time, and they will probably be joined by others at Mitchell, who are going out prospecting.

Funeral Services.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Henrietta C. Heller, of Brownstown, were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Methodist church. Rev. Edward F. Schneider officiated. Burial at Fairview cemetery.

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DANCE.

A number of young people gave a dance at Society hall Monday evening.

CAUSE OF ECZEMA EXPLAINED.

After years of debate medical authorities are now agreed that Eczema and other skin diseases are not seated in the blood, but are caused by myriads of microscopic animals gnawing the flesh just below the epidermis. The patient is perfectly healthy, it is only the skin that is diseased.

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W. T. Patton, the well known impersonator and reader, of Crothersville, will give a program at the high school Friday afternoon. Each class in the high school has charge of several of these Friday afternoon programs during the year. Mr. Patton is recognized as one of the leading impersonators of southern Indiana, and his program here will be heard with much interest.

Diarrhoea should be cured without loss of time and by a medicine which like Chamberlain's Co's, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy not only cures promptly but produces no unpleasant after effects. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by all dealers.

Old Revolver.

Henry Allie found an old double barreled revolver recently in the northeast part of the city while he was engaged in work for the city street cleaning department. The weapon is evidently very old, and was in use many years ago. The barrel is almost four inches in length and was loaded with powder and shot.

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First M. E. Church.

Wednesday evening at the close of prayer meeting there will be a meeting of the Sunday School officers and the teachers and others who are interested in Sunday School work. Be sure and be present yourself and invite a friend to come with you.

Every family and especially those who reside in the country should be provided at all times with a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment. There is no telling when it may be wanted in case of an accident or emergency. It is most excellent in all cases of rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Sold by all dealers.

A. Easterling, the county auditor of Howard county, is authority for the statement that if Kokomo were to vote today between no saloons or the kind they had before the local option election they would vote "dry" by 600. The city of Kokomo gave a small "wet" majority at the local option election several months ago.

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ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following is a list of letters remaining at the postoffice at Seymour, and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

Women

McKinsey, Miss Louisa

Men

Baird, James E.

Guthrie, D. B.

Greenberger, J. C.

Miller, Mr. Harry P.

McClanahan, Mr. J. E.

McClanahan, Mr. J. E.

Pointer, Mr. Benjamin

Pointer, Mr. J. B.

Waggoner, Lennie

Williams, Mr. Joe

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Walsh Petition.

The petition containing 25,000 names and asking for the pardon of John R. Walsh, was presented to President Taft this morning at Washington, D. C. Congressman Cullop, of Vincennes, presented the petition. A recent report from the federal prison at Ft. Leavenworth states that Mr. Walsh's condition is not so bad as reported, and that although not strong he is in no immediate danger.

For Constipation.

Mr. L. H. Farnham, a prominent druggist of Spirit Lake, Ia., says: "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are best thing on the market for constipation." Give these tablets a trial. You are certain to find them agreeable and pleasant in effect. Price 25 cents. Samples free. For sale by all dealers.

Freight Car Leaves Track.

A freight car on the Pennsylvania rail road left the track early this morning where the track is being elevated near the junction with the Southern Indiana railway. The wrecking crew was called down from Columbus and the section men here were called out to assist. Train No. 6, the early morning train late, was delayed at Peter's Switch about thirty minutes while the track was being cleared.

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Your breath is foul.
Headaches come and go.

These symptoms show that your stomach is the trouble. To remove the cause is the first thing, and Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will do that. Easy to take and most effective. Sold by all dealers.

W. T. Patton was here this morning on his way to his home at Crothersville. He gave a reading at the regular meeting of the Brownstown Modern Woodmen lodge Monday evening.

Mrs. Henry Schwenk writes: "I had eczema on my face for over four years. We tried about a half dozen doctors, but never found any cure. I have been taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea for about three months and it has done me more good than all Schwenk Drug Co."

Alfred Steinwedel, who has been employed at Louisville for a short time, has accepted a position with the Domestic Steam Laundry.

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